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In re application of: Michael J. Gardner

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TRANSMISSION RATES FOR CALL CONNECTIONS**

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**Response to Office Action**

**Introductory Comments**

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2004, please consider the following remarks.